<u>Claims</u>

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	to sign in a strawberry plant, said method
1	1. A method for enhancing flower induction in a strawberry plant, said method
2	to temperature to Which said strawous 1
	comprising reducing the daytime temperature to an effective amount sufficient to enhance flower induction in said strawberry plant.
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	2. The method according to claim 1, wherein the daytime temperature to which said
1	2. The method according to claim 1, wherein the day strawberry plant is exposed to is reduced from about 30°C or higher to about 25°C or lower.
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	3. The method according to claim 1, wherein the daytime temperature to which said
1	3. The method according to claim 1, whereas strawberry plant is exposed is reduced from about 30°C or higher to about 15 to 20°C.
2	strawberry plant is exposed is reduced from a
	4. The method according to claim 1, wherein the nighttime temperature to which
1	4. The method according to claim 1, where 4. The method according to claim 1, where 4. The method according to claim 1, where 4.
2	4. The method according to the said strawberry plant is exposed to is maintained at about 30°C or higher.
1	5. The method according to claim 1, wherein daytime temperature is reduced by a
2	means selected from the group consisting of artificiany cooling as
3	geographic location of said strawberry plant.
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	6. A method for enhancing flower induction in a strawberry plant, said method
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2	comprising reducing the duration of the photoperiod
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4	plant.
	7. The method according to claim 6, wherein the duration of the photoperiod is
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2	reduced by about fifty percent.
	8. The method according to claim 6, wherein the duration of the photoperiod is
1	8. The method according to claim of the same of the sa
2	reduced to a photoperiod of about six to ten hours.

		luration of the photoperiod is
1		9. The method according to claim 6, wherein the duration of the photoperiod is
2		9. The method according to claim 6, wherein the group consisting of artificially controlling the duration reduced by a means selected from the group consisting of artificially controlling the duration
	3	reduced by a means selected from the group constant. of the photoperiod and changing the geographic location of said strawberry plant.
	1	10. A method for enhancing flower induction in a strawberry plant, said method
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	3	-tura to Which Shave on 1
	4	a) reducing the daytime temperature to which said strawberry plant is b) reducing the duration of the photoperiod to which said strawberry plant is
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6		exposed. wherein the daytime temperature and duration of the photoperiod are reduced by an effective wherein the daytime temperature and duration in said strawberry plant.
	7	wherein the daytime temperature and days wherein the daytime temperature and days amount sufficient to enhance flower induction in said strawberry plant.
		to wherein the daytime temperature to which
!	1	11. The method according to claim 10, wherein the asy said strawberry plant is exposed to is reduced from about 30°C or higher to about 25°C or
	2	said strawberry plant is exposed to is reduced from does.
	3	lower.
		12. The method according to claim 10, wherein the daytime temperature to which
	1	12. The method according to claim 10, wherein the 5 said strawberry plant is exposed is reduced from about 30°C or higher to about 15 to 20°C.
	2	said strawberry plant is exposed is reduced to
-		13. The method according to claim 10, wherein the nighttime temperature to which
	1	13. The method according to classification of the said strawberry plant is exposed to is maintained at about 30°C or higher.
	2	said strawberry plant is exposed to is a
		14. The method according to claim 10, wherein the duration of the photoperiod is
	1	14. The method according
	2	reduced by about fifty percent.
		15. The method according to claim 10, wherein the duration of the photoperiod is
	1	to a photoperiod of about six to ten hours.
	2	reduced to a photoperior

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cially controlling the duration	1 16. The method according to claim 10, wherein the durate reduced by a means selected from the group consisting of artificial of the photoperiod and changing the geographic location of said
action produced by a method	1 17. A strawberry plant having enhanced flower induction
	selected from the group consisting of: a) reducing the daytime temperature to which said strav
said strawberry plant;	an affective amount sufficient to enhance flower induction in sa

b) reducing the duration of the photoperiod to which said strawberry plant is exposed by an effective amount sufficient to enhance flower induction in said strawberry plant; and

c) a combination of the methods in a) and b).

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